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## BILLS PASSED BY LEGISLATURE

These Are The Bills Which Originated In The Senate That Were Passed:

By Henry George, to submit question of returning to *viva voce* voting at election in 1905.

J. C. Cantrill, uniform school book bill.

N. A. Porter appropriating \$15,000 for two years to revive State geological survey.

Brent Spence, jurors to fill panel to be drawn from wheel save three who may be selected from bystanders.

J. W. Gilbert, to pay jurors for first day's attendance even though not accepted for service.

G. W. Hickman, adopting Carroll edition of Kentucky statutes as the law of the State.

J. F. Porter, extending common school term to six months.

J. Emery Allen, appropriating \$25,000 for improvement at State College.

Same, appropriating \$15,000 annually in addition to the present sum to pay expenses at State College.

Charles Carroll, uniform negotiable instruments.

J. Embry Allen, increase annual appropriation from \$7,500 to \$10,500 for State Experiment Station pure food analysing.

Same, \$15,650 for improvements at Lexington asylum.

Charles Carroll, allowing 10cts. for indexing names.

G. W. Hickman, providing that mandate of the Court of Appeals shall not issue in criminal cases until 30 days have expired.

H. S. McNutt, allowing Jaffer son circuit clerk a fee of \$5 in to many cases as other clerks are allowed.

W. B. Whitt, creating the county of Beckham out of Carter, Lewis and Elliott counties.

J. Wheeler Campbell, allowing auditor 3,000 annually for additional clerks.

G. W. Hickman, giving Commonwealth right to appeal in misdemeanor cases when imprisonment is inflicted.

Henry George, making it unlawful to sell whisky by wholesale in local option districts, except that distillers can sell their own make.

W. A. Byron, requiring national banks to report to auditor their shares of stock for assessment.

S. E. Dehaven, forbidding automobiles to run faster than 15 miles an hour.

R. H. Fleming, authorizing fiscal courts to refund old bonds.

G. W. Hickman, providing for sale of franchises which have only 20 years to run.

J. Embry Allen, requiring that all deeds shall show where grantor obtained his title.

C. F. Burnham, extending term of librarian.

J. Campbell Cantrill, creating the office of game warden to be appointed by county judges.

Charles Carroll, allowing the adjoint general two assistants at \$3,000 and \$2,000 each.

G. T. Farris, requiring non-resident individuals to designate resident agent upon whom process may be served.

Casswell Prewitt, making it a felony to steal chickens to the value of \$1.

J. Campbell Cantrill, appropriating \$12,357 64 for deficit at House of Reform.

Nat A. Porter, giving osteopaths, homeopaths representation on State Board of Health.

G. W. Richardson, assessing tax of 50 cents on barrels of rectified whisky and 25 cents on portions of barrels.

W. A. Byron, appropriating \$20,000 for statue of Goebel.

D. C. Edwards, allowing county seminaries to dispose of property for benefit of school district.

C. D. Sublett, providing for perpetuation of testimony relative to title to land.

Charles Carroll, directing that county seminaries be reimbursed for over payment of taxes.

W. B. Whitt, assigning county of Beckham to Ninth district.

J. Embry Allen, Making it a felony to steal property being transferred by common carrier.

A. S. Bennett, making bank robbing or attempt punishable by from tw to twenty years imprisonment.

E. C. Ward, authorizing counties to issue bonds for construction of turnpikes and gravel roads.

J. Embry Allen, providing that officers and men of State Guard be paid the same as U. S. army for active service.

L. C. Pitchard, authorizing condemnation of land for water works and water pipes.

W. H. Cox, making appropriation for World's Fair more available.

J. W. Combs, authorizing condemnation of rights of way along public roads for telephone companies.

G. W. Richardson, providing that when cities are two or more years in arrears for interest they may curtail expenses by cutting off pay of officials to percent.

W. B. Whitt, requiring clerks in Lewis, Carter and Elliott to transfer assessment lists that belong to Beckham county.

N. A. Porter authorizing appeals to the quarterly court without the execution of bond for the costs.

Charles Carroll, providing for retirement by railroads of preferred stock at market price instead of par.

Same, making it a misdemeanor to avoid testifying before legislative committees or grandjuries.

E. C. Wark, placing assessment of railroad bridges in hands of State Railroad Commission.

France Perry, an L. & N. watchman, killed himself because his fellow workingmen laughed at him for breaking his pledge to stop drinking.



W. C. SWINFORD  
Livingston's splendid barber.

## WILLIAMSBURG.

It is reported that another new bank will be established here in the near future.

Dr. J. W. McGarvey, of Lexington, will preach at the Christian church here next Sunday.

Last Friday a three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Taylor climbed up to the mantle and took a sip of carbolic acid from a bottle it found there; then told its mother that it had taken a dose of medicine, but it never spoke afterwards and died the next day in great agony.

Last Saturday the Republicans of this county held mass meetings in every voting precinct to elect precinct chairmen. A hot contest was waged all over the county.

Money was used freely as it was

really a Hunter and Edwards contest.

It is said that a great deal of

money was sent here from London.

B. F. Steely and Geo. W. Parker

who have been attending a medical school in Louisville, are now at home for the spring and summer.

There are about twenty young men

of this county who are studying

either medicine or dentistry.

So there will be no delay in having

teeth and graves filled on short notice.

About ten o'clock Monday night the depot at this place burned with nearly all its contents. A few things in the express office were saved.

The origin of the fire is a mystery, as it began on the back part of the freight room where there was no stove, but it is believed that some one had dropped a live cigar stub or cigarette.

Nellie, aged five, had her photograph taken recently, and when the

proof was sent home, her mother

said she looked too solemn, and

asked why she did not smile.

"I did smile, mamma," said

Nellie, "but I guess the man forgot to put it down."

There is more CATARRH in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many

years doctors pronounced it a local disease

and prescribed local remedies, and by con-

stantly failing to cure with local treatment

pronounced it incurable. Science has pro-

ved catarrh to be a constitutional disease and

therefore requires constitutional treatment.

Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J.

Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only

constitutional cure on the market. It is

taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a

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Hall's family Pills are the best.

—

W. C. Swinford, Livingston's

splendid barber.

## LEVEL GREEN

Much fear is entertained for the peach crop which had promised to be so abundant, only now and then we get a crop; but apples are the best anyway.

Well, I see "Thorne County" is dead, and all such should die in the shell, and "Beckham County" should be relegated to the shades of "eternal silence" by the Supreme Court. Such empty honors cost too much. Our law-makers too often "strut out the gnats and swallow whole camels," in order to file superfluities on some one more deserving than hundreds of others who are never thought about only at taxpaying. It indeed makes much difference as to whose "ox is gored" and whose "hoss eats at the public crib." This forcibly reminds me of an eccentric uncle I once had. A friend called on him at midnight (he lived in town) and finding him alone said: "Where is your wife, uncle Billy?" "She has gone down to the church where preachers and everybody else have to meet to pray for the President, Congress and other rulers and big men of earth, but never a d—d word will they pray for a poor man." Although we are professed Christians, principally, in Kentucky, yet lots of Phariseism remains in the world yet.

It does seem that is our party is not badly enough disorganized in national issues that such men as Watterson, Bryan, John Whalen and others will soon fix it. Now if the newspapers and the "big men" of our party will just "shut up" until after the St. Louis convention is over, and let the "great

common people" nominate a candidate, harmony will prevail throughout and we will nominate and elect a good man and —

well, just give us one chance. If we could only get out a large number

of candidates for Congress in to the 111 districts at an early

date this would help mighty also in the way of harmony. Ain't the rebels having a big time in the 111. Gum Shoe is waiting patiently for Parker, Edwards and White to shake down the "simmons and then he'll step in, pick it up and quietly tote it off. Three of them will run the race to a finish, and the 4th will also run if it is thought and believed that his candidacy will help Hunter—just wait and note my prediction. Why sir, you had as well try to stop the waves of the deep blue sea as to try to beat Gummy. He'll get the nomination. Didn't John D. Bust a big bomb in the camp at Somerton? Flying in more, Johnny.

We are indeed pleased to see a column from the pen of the former brilliant writer from Crab Orchard. We hope s—he will contribute regularly for we spent many pleasant days in that little city, and formed many acquaintances of whom we

love to think and hear, and especially among the children; but many of those whom I knew and loved to be with, yea, many indeed both old and young, in the short space

of four years have crossed the dark stream. How sad it makes me feel to think this over.

But death has done a powerful work in this part since then also. There is but one man living near us who was born here that has lived out the allotted "three score and ten." How fast the population of our cemeteries does increase.

We should all remember that "but one thing is necessary and that Mary chose the better part."

Very respectfully,

BUCK VARNON

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April was named from APRIER (the open) the season when buds open and usher into life all that

makes the world beautiful.

—

A CURE FOR HEADACHE.

Any man woman or child suffering from headache, biliousness or a dull, drowsy feeling should take one or two of DeWitt's Little Early Risers night and morning. These famous little pills are famous because they are a tonic as well as a pill.

While they cleanse the system they strengthen and rebuild it by their tonic effect upon the liver and bowels. Sold by Chas. C. Davis, the druggist.

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Sold by all druggists.

—

THE BEST FAMILY SALVE.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel gives instant relief from burns; cures cuts, bruises, sores, eczema, tetter and all abrasions of the skin. In buying Witch Hazel Salve it is only necessary to see that you get the genuine DeWitt's and a cure is certain.

There are many cheap counterfeits on the market, all of which are worthless, and quite a few are dangerous, while DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is perfectly harmless and cures. Sold at Chas. C. Davis' drugstore.

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L. H. DAVIS,  
Livingston, Ky.

## JOHN D. CARROLL.

A CANDIDATE FOR APPELLATE JUDGE OF THIS DISTRICT.

Hon. John D. Carroll, of New Castle, one of the best known lawyers in the State, has announced as a candidate for Appellate Judge in this District, subject to the

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### HON. D. L. MOORE,

Other county, is a candidate for Congress in the Eighth district, to succeed Hon. G. G. Gilbert, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Your support is earnestly solicited.

PROSPECTS of Hon. Harvey Helm being made the nominee for Congress in this district grows brighter daily. The clean, manly course he has taken in the race has made him staunch friends all over the district who will stand by him through thick and thin. Mr. Helm has not had many years' experience in Congress nor does he own plantations in other States, but he has the good will of the boys in the trenches, the bone and sinew of the democratic party, and he will get their votes to a man. Unless all signs fail, Hon. Harvey Helm, of this place, will represent the Eighth district in Congress after March 4th, next.—Interior Journal.—[It will be very acceptable to a large majority of the people up in this neck of the woods.]

EDITOR WALTON of the Interior Journal, seems to think that we are just a little too severe in our criticisms of William Randolph Hearst, candidate for the democratic nomination for President. We may be, but we think more of the democratic party than we do of Mr. Hearst and what we want to see is some one as leader, whose personal worth as a man entitles him to such leadership. If the party wants to go down in defeat again, why not nominate Bryan and be done with it?

Congressman Sperry, of Connecticut, explains the refusal of Iowa to extradite the poison murderer by calling attention to what he calls "the fact" that a man who fired across the boundary line between South Carolina and Tennessee, killed a man, and it was held that there was no law for his prosecution. It seems as if a man who could fire a gun forty miles (from South Carolina to Tennessee) ought not to be prosecuted for murder.

Charles Emory Smith, ex-Postmaster General, is handled very roughly by special attorneys Bonapart and Conrad. They declare that the gravest abuses grew up in the department while he was at its head; that he received ample warning of lax methods and suspicious conduct; that he went to sleep and applied no remedy, and is justly identified in the public mind with the scandals.

The influence of John W. Verkes is said to have been secured in the effort to oust Dr. T. H. Baker and J. A. Craft, the postmaster and collector of internal revenue respectively, in Louisville. Collect-Craft, especially, ought not to be interfered with, for he is making a mighty good Republican as long as his office lasts.

Congressman Hull of Iowa last week won in a suit brought against him for \$40 for services in influencing voters to cast their ballots for him. Court found such a contract contrary to public policy. Very well, but how is Hull ever to get elected again.

Secretary Taft says that our object in the Philippines should be "to make the people better Roman Catholics". Protestants should carry thither tolerance as the "first aid" to proselytizing.

Senator Tillman is as mad as a wet hen, because just as an Ohio lynching bee is announced, his physician bolts in and tells him he must not use his throat for a month.

### POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

The Hon. A. O. Stanley was unanimously renominated by the Democratic Committee of the Second district, for Congress.

Maj. A. T. Wood condemns Hunterism and Sappism and says Dr. Hunter has no more influence with the Administration than a snowball in the lower regions.—I. J.

The Indiana Democratic State Convention will be held at Indianapolis July 20th, to nominate candidates for State officers, while delegates to the Democratic National Convention will be selected at a convention May 12.

Frank Campbell, chairman of the Democratic State Committee of New York, says that the endorsement of Judge Alton B. Parker for the presidency by New York is practically assured as the result of Tuesday's primaries in that State.

Senator Gorman in a speech in the Senate Wednesday demanded an investigation of the post-office scandal and said a mysterious power was at work to prevent publicity. Mr. Gorman said the Administration was ruling Congress, which could pass no bills until they had first been considered at the White House. He denounced the plan for an early adjournment of Congress as an effort to hide the corruption of the Republican party.

With his claims strongly urged by his friends, Gen. Fitzhugh Lee may figure prominently in the Democratic national convention at St. Louis. A movement in his favor was started and he was asked whether it would be agreeable to him to be considered as a candidate for the presidency. Gen. Lee affects to treat the matter humorously. He said that his position as head of the great Jamestown Exposition Company precludes his taking interest "in other matters of lesser import."

Gov. Beckham Saturday concluded consideration of the measures left on his desk at the adjournment of the Legislature, approving seven bills and allowing the remaining twelve to become laws without his approval. The work of the last General Assembly will consist of 131 laws, the Governor having vetoed fifteen acts wholly, and two in part. Among the bills approved was the measure appropriating \$20,000 for a monument to Gov. Goebel. Among bills that become laws without his signature are the bill increasing annuity of A. and M. College \$15,000 annually; the bill regulating the speed of automobiles; the bill authorizing the Jefferson Fiscal Court to increase the County Treasurer's salary to \$2,500; the bill increasing the Jefferson Criminal Court stenographer's salary to \$2,500, and the bill making more specific the law as to fees of Clerks.

### SCRAPS

O—  
(BY JET)

To share the blame—"Won't you be glad, Tommy, when your baby brother is as big as you are now?" asked the caller.

"You bet I will," replied Tommy; "then he'll be licked for some of the things that I git licked fur now."

"Although I have granted you this interview," said the pompous new officeholder, "I don't want people to think I'm in the habit of talking for publication."

"They won't," replied the reporter, "when they see these remarks in print."

A Good Word.—"Ned," said his father, as the small student came home from school, "which do you like best, arithmetic or geography?"

"Well" said Ned, reflectively, "I think I like geography best, because arithmetic is just a little too thinkingsome."

"I suppose, my boy," said the stranger in town, "I can't jump on any one of these cars and go to the park."

"I dunno," replied the newsboy, "Anaudy guy dat looked as clumsy as you tried to jump on one depper day an' he went ter de morgue."

"Well," said the cheerful wife, who thought she had a soprano voice, "if the worst comes to the worst I could keep the wolf from the door by singing."

"I don't doubt that would do it," replied her pessimistic husband, "but suppose the wolf should happen to be deaf?"

"Young man," said the old gentleman, "my daughter is too young to marry. A girl of her age cannot be sure of her own mind in a matter of such importance." "I fully realize that," replied the young man, who had just secured the fair one's consent. "That's why I don't want to wait."

Not All in Him.—"Johnnie," said his mother, severely, "some one has taken a big piece of ginger

bread out of the pantry." Johnnie blushed guilty.

"Oh, Johnnie," she exclaimed, "I didn't think it was in you!"

"It ain't all," replied Johnnie.

"Part of it's in Elsie."

Softleigh—When I stand on my feet why doesn't the blood rush to my head?

Hardleigh—Sure thing.

Softleigh—Now, when I stand on my feet why doesn't the blood rush to my feet?

Hardleigh—Probably because my feet are not hollow.

\* She Thought of Him.—She—O!

Mr. Borem, how do you do? I was talking to Mrs. Nedore just now

and I couldn't help thinking of you.

He—And was she discussing me?

She—Not exactly. She was commenting on the weather, and just asked me if I could imagine anything more tiresome and disagreeable.

An Englishman was once persuaded to see a game of baseball, and during the play, when he happened to look away for a moment, a foul tip caught him on the ear and knocked him senseless. On coming to himself he asked faintly:

"What it was?"

"A foul—only a foul."

"Good gracious!" he exclaimed.

"I thought it was a mule."

A girl who had been very clever at college came home the other day, and said to her mother: "Mother, I've graduated; but now I must inform myself in psychology, philology, bibl—" "Just wait a minute," said the mother. "I have arranged for you a thorough course of roatology, boiology, washology and general domesticology. Now put on your apron and pluck that chicken."

The women of Colorado have had the right to vote at public elections for ten years. There is no improvement in politics there as compared with the condition in other states. There is no benefit to the women in the state; many of them do not go to the polls; and those women who are actively engaged in the hunt for office have suffered a loss of womanliness. The white effect brings to mind the toast of the Denver member of the Legislature: "Here's to women—once our superiors, now our equals!"

They're All Liars:—

The woman dearly loved him but he lied to her one day.

And then he told another lie to clear the first away;

When that was done he lied again—he couldn't tell you why—

Until most every word he told the woman was a lie.

He lied to her about himself and of the life he led—

She took his lies for Gospel truth, believing all he said—

He lied and lied and lied and lied and then more lies he'd plan, Because she was a woman and you see he was a man.

NOTICE.

To S. D. Lewis, County Judge.

To L. W. Bethurum County Atty.

You are notified that on the next regular meeting of the Board of prison Commissioners, at Frankfort, I will make an application to said Commissioners for a parole.

April 1, 1904.

WM. CUNNAGIM.

A THOUGHTFUL MAN.

N. M. Austin, of Winchester, Indiana, knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver-trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25¢ at all druggists.

The pearls of truth lie deep in the sea of patience.

Lovely never joins in the chorus when malice sings.

The man who is willing to work is not kept waiting.

There can be no sympathy where there is suspicion.

Idleness and riches furnish time and tide for the devil's ships.—Ram's Horn.

The Strength

of the coffee you buy adds to its value in the cup.

The Chief Thing.

With all thy getting get character.

—United Presbyterian.

Suddenly becoming insane Alexander Crelier, a Louisville bartender, stabbed his wife nine times and then killed himself. His victim is at the point of death.

When 12 years old, for many months no one thought I could live because of thin blood. But, in a few weeks, Ayer's Sarsaparilla completely restored me to health.

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for The Children

Biliousness, constipation prevent recovery. Cure these with Ayer's Pills.

### THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson in the International Series for April 3, 1904—Jesus Visits Tyre and Sidon.

THE LESSON TEXT (Mark 7:24-50)

24. And from thence He arose, and went into the borders of Tyre and Sidon: and entered into a house: and would have no man know it; but He could not be hid.

25. For a certain woman, whose young daughter had an unclean spirit, heard of Him, and came and fell at His feet.

26. The woman was Greek, Syrophenician by nation; and she besought Him that He would cast forth the devil out of her daughter.

27. But Jesus said unto her: Let the children first be filled: for it is not meet to take the children's bread, and to cast it unto the dogs.

28. And she answered and said unto Him: Yes, Lord; yet the dogs eat the bread which falls from the master's table.

29. And again, departing from the coasts of Tyre and Sidon, He came unto the sea of Galilee, through the midst of the coasts of Decapolis.

30. And they bring unto Him one that was deaf, and had an impediment in his speech; and they beseech Him to put His hand upon him.

31. And He took him aside from the multitude, and put His fingers into his ears, and spittle into his tongue.

32. And looking up to Heaven, He sighed, and saith unto him: Ephphatha: that is, Be open.

33. And straightway his ears were opened, and the stammering of his tongue was loosed, and he spake plain.

34. And He charged them that they should tell no man: but the more He charged them, so much the greater deal they published.

35. And were beyond measure astonished: saying: He hath done all things well; He maketh both the deaf to hear, and the dumb to speak.

GOING NEXT.—Without faith it is impossible to please Him. Heb. 11:6.

ANALYSIS OF SCRIPTURE SECTION.

Jesus Walking on the Water. Mark 6:45-52

Jesus Healing Many. Mark 6:53-56

Discourse on Eating with Unwashed Hands. Mark 7:1-23

Healing Woman's Daughter. Mark 7:24-30

Healing Deaf and Dumb Man. Mark 7:31-37

Read also parallel passage.—Matt. 14:22-25

PLACE.—Late in the summer of A. D. 29

TYRE.—The region of Tyre and Sidon;

FOREIGN COUNTRY.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

"From whence?" From Capernaum. "The borders of Tyre," etc.: That is, Phenicia. Jesus and His disciples were now in the land of foreigners. They were there for several reasons. (1) They could not stay where they were. His followers had many of them left Him, and popular feeling against Him was running high in Galilee. It was a reaction. (2) He had had a controversy with the Pharisees from Jerusalem, in which He had talked to them with a plainness they had probably never heard before, calling them hypocrites; of course, making their opposition to Him more bitter. Further work in Galilee at this time was out of the question. (3) A foreign country was chosen because of its distance from the scene of the trouble and because its people were not likely to know or care about the contention between Jesus and the Pharisees. "He entered." This was not a preaching tour, but a much-needed respite from a wearisome ministry. Safety, rest and the training of the disciples were sought. "An unclean spirit." Probably epilepsy. A very distressing disease and one which Jesus frequently met. In those days it was supposed, like fever and insanity, to be caused by demons. The symptoms were intense suffering, failing (Matt. 17: 15-18), sudden paroxysms, numbness, foaming at the mouth and other accompaniments of what we call epilepsy (Mark 9: 17, 18). "A Greek." That is, a Gentile, or as a Jew would be apt to say a "dog." The Jews were as arrogant race and almost always used uncomplimentary names for foreigners. "A Syrian Phoenician." Or a Syrian Phoenician. "Let the children first be filled." etc. A sentence which we say at first does not sound like Jesus. Compare Matthew's account. By the children Jesus meant the Jews. The dogs He used in the common way for Gentiles. It was not harsh as it would be to call a person a dog to-day. He did not think the Gentiles of less importance than the Jews, or care less for their sufferings, but in planning the great work of salvation He had to begin somewhere. The plan must be the wisest one possible, and then He must stick to it. The plan was to begin the conquest of the world at home, with his own people.

"They bring unto Him." After He reached Galilee again. "Took Him aside . . . privately." It is not an easy thing to communicate with one who is practically deaf and dumb. Jesus might have healed him offhand in the crowd, but He wanted to make a spiritual impression on him as well. See how the Master uses the sign language in dealing with this man—touches his ears and his tongue; He spat; saliva was suppose to have healing power; the man received an idea. Then he looked up to Heaven and signed; the man's idea was enlarged; God came into the transaction, and he was healed, and Jesus

## MT VERNON SIGNAL

MT VERNON, KY., APR. 1, 1904

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TIME TABLE.

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### PERSONAL

Mrs. J. W. Brown is visiting in Louisville.

Mrs. Cleo Brown spent Sunday night with homefolks.

Charlie Vanhook has quit rail roading and gone to farming.

Albert Allen brought in some rich ore from his neighborhood yesterday, which contains zinc and lead.

Mr. Hatcher of Hazel Patch, who bought the Dick Nicely farm near Level Green, moved to it Wednesday.

Wallace McWhorter left Tuesday for Williamsburg, where he will have charge of an extra gang. His family will go right away.

The writer is under obligations to that excellent clerk, George Childress, in Chenault & Evans' store, Orlando, for favors extended.

We understand that W. F. McClary has sold his farm in Indiana and moved to Florida, where his wife has been all winter on account of her health.

One of Mt. Vernon's old Masons who was present at the "raising" of H. V. Bastin, on March 22nd, says the "candidate" was one of the brightest on the work he has met in his 28 years Masonic experience.

If things continue (by heavy rains) to push up the elevation of water in Lancaster lake, Louis Landrum may quit speaking to us mountain people. (?) We don't blame the old man for being proud of his great work.

Mr. J. Thos. Cherry went to Lebanon Tuesday, to take the Knight Templar's degree. On Wednesday Mrs. Cherry joined him and they went to Louisville for a few days. They will make the trip to San Francisco with the K. T.'s this summer.

### LOCAL

Sunday is Easter.

To-day is Good Friday.

Baled millet hay at Krueger & Sons.

Our little friend, Omar Purdon, says they have a "boy" calf at their stable.

A fine baby boy arrived at the home of Rev. William Williams yesterday morning.

John Clark, who was sent to the asylum from this county, about three years ago, is dead.

Linemen will come to Mt. Vernon about April 15th, to reconstruct our local telephone system.

The L. & N. will sell tickets to Frankfort May 24 and 25, limited until May 27, at \$3.13 for the round trip, account of State meeting Grand Army of the Republic.

The Winchester Brick Co. are closing a contract with the local telephone company for a line from Brush Creek to their works at Cook's Siding two miles south of the former named place.

S. C. Franklin, the jeweler, has moved from his old quarters at Fish's store to the G. M. Ballard room, four doors west, where he has much more needed room to display his increased stock, etc.

NOTICE.—I cordially invite every one to my opening Saturday April 2nd. Come and see my beautiful line of pattern hats.

MISS SALLIE PURCELL,  
Brookhead, Ky.

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Mr. A. C. Towery's sister, of near Hustonville is dead.

The Berea College Trustees have accepted a gift of \$30,000 from Andrew Carnegie for the institution.

Rev. J. B. Dozman, of Louisville, will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday, morning an evening.

Sept. G. M. Ballard is a candidate for member of the Republic State Central Committee. Eighth district.

Since moving into my new quarters am better fitted to do all classes of watch and clock work.

S. C. FRANKLIN,  
Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Henry Bales has samples of all kinds of wall paper and will be glad to bring them to your home for inspection. He can make you the very lowest prices.

Come to S. C. Franklin and have your eyes scientifically tested and fitted with first-class spectacles. He is fully prepared with all instruments and has had years of experience under the teachings of best opticians.

There appears to be a warm fight between B. J. Bethurum and G. M. Ballard as candidates for membership on Republican State Central Committee from Eighth district.

Both are citizens of this place, and working hard to gain the position.

Indications are that the merchants who have been running delivery wagons will, by agreement, discontinue the same at an early date much to the regret of their customers who have been enabled to stay at home and phone their wants to dealers.

Matt Ford has been located at Atlanta, Ga., where he is now in jail. A requisition has been made on the Governor of Georgia for him and Egbert Wallin has given orders to bring him back to Mt. Vernon.

It is not very probable that Matt's late play of insanity will go any more.

MARRIED.—Mr. W. B. Swinney, of Wayne Town, Ind., and Miss Idia Poynter were married Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. Martin Owens, officiating. The bride is a sister of W. M. and D. C. Poynter, of this place. They will leave for Indiana Sunday where they will make their future home.

NOTICE.—I have just returned from the city with the largest and most up-to-date line of Millinery Goods ever brought to Brookhead, also a complete line of Notions. Come in and see me, get my prices before purchasing elsewhere.

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Both are straight-forward, good men, and we hope to see them do well in whatever occupation they may enter.

Mr. J. E. Singleton made a trip over in Jackson this week.

W. C. Mullins and Shannon McKinney are in Louisville.

Mr. John Johnston visited home folks at Lancaster Sunday.

Mrs. Sue Mullins has been improving her property by painting.

Bullock, Ward has taken place of Larkin this week, but it is all just the same.

Mrs. Ed Shey has gone to house keeping in part of Mrs. Mullins' residence.

The town was largely serenaded last evening by some of our boys, come again please.

Mr. A. N. Bentley has gone to Montgomery Ala. to accept a position as Master Mechanic.

How long, O, how long will the good citizens of the town endure the oppression of the hogs.

Mrs. Elmore has returned from the city with her stock of Millinery and will have her opening Saturday 4th.

The Livingston District S. S. Convention will meet at Caloway church next Sunday at 2 p.m. Let every body attend.

Address—What is due the S. S. from the Church, General Discussion.....

Music.....

Address—Our Reward...Miss Alexander.....

All Sunday-Schools in this Judicial District should send Delegates.

All Sunday-School workers will be cordially welcomed.

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The Rockcastle Real Estate Co. will sell your land for you. No sale no cost.

E. S. ALBRIGHT,  
General Mgrt.

NOTICE.—I will for a limited time shoe horses at 60cts. per round, everything furnished. See Powell on Newcomb Avenue, at the Jack Lawrence place.

mar-18-41. Rott K. Powell.

S. C. BLACK MINORCA

Eggs for sale 50 cts. for 15, from high scoring birds, bred for Meat, Eggs and the Show.

D. S. PURDOM,  
Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Judge M. L. Jarvis' wife died last week. Mrs. Jarvis was sick, when here with Judge Jarvis at February court, and never did recover, and about fifteen days ago pneumonia set up. She left four small children.

OPENING.—I will have my opening tomorrow, April 2nd, to which you are cordially invited. I spent two weeks in the training department of one of the South's largest wholesale millinery houses, and have selected only the newest and most up-to-date goods. Every one cordially invited.

MRS. G. W. BROOKS,  
Brookhead, Ky.

The Board of Trustees of Berea College, in session at Cincinnati Wednesday, decided to institute appropriate proceedings for testing the constitutionality of the Day law, which prohibits coeducation of the races in Kentucky. The school will be conducted as usual until a final decision from the United States Supreme Court. In the meantime State officials will be enjoined from making arrests or violations of the law.

Land, Stock and Crop

Have the SIGNAL to print your horse and jack cards.

Kentucky Jacks—Fifteen black jacks. Twenty-five old enough for service. Farm at Stanford, Ky. Address Lexington, Ky., Box 41 and long distance phone 41.

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The prices of mules are holding up well and there seems to be a constant upward tendency in the markets, the prices ranging all the way from \$125 to \$175 for good ones.

Owing to the demand from Russia and Japan and the additional demand growing out of the construction of the Panama canal by the United States, this would seem to be a fine time to raise mules for the market.

With the closing out of a line of 20,000,000 bushels of May wheat Wednesday, at Chicago, the Armour people brought to a close the most remarkable wheat deal on record. It is estimated the deal netted those interested between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000. President J. J. Valentine, of the Armonia Grain Company, is authority for the statement that one of "tailors" cleared \$600,000 on his line. The deal had been on since last November, when the prices of May and July were in the 70's. The price of May advanced to \$1 09 1/2, and the price of July to 99 3/4, an advance of 30 cts. on May and 25 cts on July. It is estimated that the profits on the entire line of 20,000,000 bushels was about 20 cts. For a long time it seemed a permanent advance was impossible, but the bull pool held on, and all at once came the report of scarcity, war in the East, increase and activity in the flour business and consequent speculation.

Mt. Sterling Court. The Advocate says: "About 3000 cattle on the market. The quality with one or two exceptions, was common.

Trade was fairly brisk and there was a good many buyers here waiting cattle, but there was no stock to supply the demand.

Mr. George Pope of Livingston, at Stanford seriously ill.

Mrs. George Pope of Livingston,

Iron Mountain Route operates Pullman Tourist Sleepers, St. Louis to California, leaving 8:30 a.m. daily via Little Rock, Texarkana, Dallas, Fort Worth and El Paso. The Ideal Route to California. Fast Schedule, cheap Colonist rates in effect daily during months of March and April, 1904, to California and the Northwest. Pullman tourist sleepers via Missouri Pacific Railway leave St. Louis every Thursday 9 a.m.; from Kansas City Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 6:30 p.m., going via Pueblo, D. & R. G. system through Glenwood Springs, Salt Lake City, to Ogden, etc. Homeseeker and Colonist rates to various points in the West and Southwest every first and third Tuesdays each month. For map folders, descriptive literature, rates, etc., consult nearest Ticket Agent, of address.

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### In Addition to the Regular Free Premiums

the same Lion-Heads will entitle you to estimates in our \$50,000.00 Cash and Prize Contests, which will make some of our patrons rich men and women. You can send in as many estimates as desired. There will be

#### TWO GREAT CONTESTS

The first contest will be on the July 4th attendance at the *St. Louis World's Fair*; the second relates to **Total Vote For President** to be cast Nov. 8, 1904. \$20,000.00 will be distributed in each of these contests, making \$40,000.00 on the two, and, to make it still more interesting, in addition to this amount, we will give a **Grand First Prize of \$5,000.00** to the one who is nearest correct on both contests, and thus your estimates have two opportunities of winning a big cash prize.

**Five Lion-Heads cut from Lion Coffee Packages and a 2 cent stamp entitle you (in addition to the regular free premiums) to one vote in either contest:**



#### WORLD'S FAIR CONTEST

What will be the total **Regular Vote cast for President** (votes for all candidates combined) at the election November 8, 1904? For nearest correct estimate received in Woolson Spice Company's office, Toledo, Ohio, on or before June 30th, 1904, we will give a **Grand First Prize of \$5,000.00** to the one who is nearest correct estimate, second prize to the next nearest, etc., etc., as follows:

1 First Prize	\$2,500.00
2 Second Prize	1,500.00
3 Prizes—200.00 each	1,000.00
10 Prizes—100.00 "	1,000.00
20 Prizes—50.00 "	1,000.00
50 Prizes—20.00 "	1,000.00
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Distributed to the Public—aggregating \$45,000.00—in addition to which we shall give \$5,000.00 to Grocers' Clerks (see particulars in *LION COFFEE* cases) making a grand total of \$50,000.00.

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WOOLSON SPICE CO., (CONTEST DEPT.) TOLEDO, OHIO.

While a murderer was being hung by a sheriff in Missouri Saturday, his former business partner, who was charged with complicity in the crime, was convicted by a jury and given the death sentence.

#### ARE YOU A DYSEPTIC?

If you are a dyspeptic you owe it to yourself and your friends to get well. Pysespia annoys the dyspeptic's friends because his disease sours his disposition as well as his stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will not only cure dyspepsia, indigestion and sour stomach, but this palatable, reconstructive tonic digestant strengthens the whole digestive apparatus, and sweetens the life as well as the stomach. When you take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure the food you eat is enjoyed. It is digested, assimilated and its nutrient properties appropriated by the blood and tissues and health is the result. Sold at Chas. C Davis' drugstore.

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Bill—Do you know you owe me \$10?

Jill—Oh, yes; I remember, I borrowed it a month ago.

"That's what you did."

"I owe you an apology."

"I should say you did."

"Here's 25 cents."

"What's that for?"

"That's an apology for \$10."

New Article.—"Gimme de ole-time 'ligion!" exclaimed Brothe Notacat.

"Don't de new kind suit you?"

"No! It takes up so many collections. I des can't pay house rent."

BOBBED THE GRAVE.

A startling incident, is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition," he said. "My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only one guaranteed, at all druggists.

Same Taste.—"Mandy, d'ye recollect how Henry Wiggins used to play marbles all the time when he was a little feller?"

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Humble You Wait:—

"All things come to him who waits."

But that is merely stating

One feature of the case—you've got

To hustle while you're waiting."

#### WANTS HIS ASHES SCATTERED OVER WATERS OF OHIO

Louisville, March 28.—The most unique will ever probated in this city is that of C. M. Strader, a former resident of Louisville, who died in Philadelphia. The will directs that after his death his body shall be cremated and the ashes placed in a vessel and brought to this city and then scattered on the waters of the Ohio river.

The will further directs that Humphrey Stader, of 2430 Cypress street this city, a nephew of the dead man, be appointed to carry out the provisions of the will.

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Nannie—No, mamma, I think he's in a pet.

Mother—You do?

Nannie—Yes, the Persian cat swallowed him.

Ascum—What do you want with a safety pin?

Fartsy—I hate to; it's getting so near Christmas. I always get at least four pairs then.

MANAGER WANTED.

Trustworthy lady or gentleman to manage business in this county and adjoining territory for well and favorably known house of solid financial standing. \$20,000 straight cash salary and expenses paid each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Expenses money advanced. Position permanent. Address Manager, 810, Como Block, Chicago, Illinois.

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